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**NATIONAL  
4-H CONFERENCE**  
Washington, D.C.



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121 Meeting of Committee Chairmen

9P2 All Conference operations committee chairmen will meet at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, June 15. This is scheduled for the French Room of the Raleigh Hotel. All chairmen please plan to attend.

Floral Tributes

There are occasional questions regarding floral tributes. They are welcome under the following established policy:

"Acceptable gifts are those that can be shared by the entire Conference. This would mean that floral offerings for party decorations or tea table would be appreciated. Flowers for individuals are appropriate when there is one for each delegate. This does not preclude private presentations, aside from official meetings."

Daylight Saving Time

The Conference program will be operated on Eastern Daylight Saving Time. Keep this in mind in planning your arrival hour in Washington.

Tentative Program

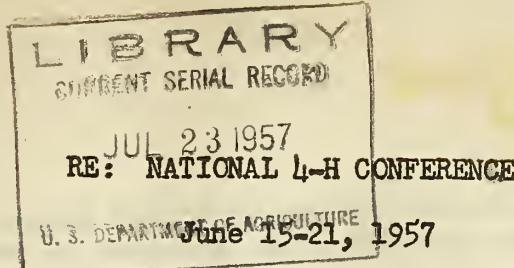
We are happy to confirm definite plans for the visit to the White House and an audience with President Eisenhower. There is a change from time specified in the tentative Conference program.

Alternate, All States Day

The original plan proposed Tuesday afternoon, June 18, as Alternate All States Day. The necessary shift of time for the visit to the White House changed these plans. Tuesday, 12 noon to 2:30 p.m., is the suggested time for a visit with your Congressmen. Even this will cause you to miss some of the planned Conference program.

Hotel Reservations

We have made a blanket reservation to cover the needs of the Conference delegates and leaders. Each State will advise the Raleigh Hotel regarding the type of space desired.



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(For leaders only)

Parking

We can no longer have the special parking privileges enjoyed several years ago. Therefore, we recommend that cars and buses be stored in one of the regular commercial parking lots.

To Be Honored

At a Fellowship Dinner on Monday evening, June 17, Gold Keys for 25 years of service will be presented to:

R. W. Whaples	Connecticut
Fred W. Colby	Tennessee
Agnes M. Hansen	Wisconsin
Florence Kimmelshue	Illinois

The following retired State 4-H Club Leaders will receive certificates:

P. G. Lundin	Michigan
A. G. Kettunen	Michigan
J. W. Whitehouse	Kentucky

National 4-H Conference Citations will be awarded to Friends of 4-H Club Work; namely:

E. R. Eastman	Mr. Charles B. Shuman
Mrs. Enid A. Haupt	Dr. George Taylor
Norman C. Mindrum	Mr. Howard F. Todd
Miss Mary Omen	Mrs. Zella Hale Weyant
Mr. J. Homer Remsburg	Mr. Louis H. Wilson

Tape Recordings -- Photographs

As in previous years, radio recording facilities will be available in one of the conference rooms of the Departmental Auditorium. Please bring your own reels of tape.

Photo coverage of Conference activities will be selective. Every effort will be made to arrange a schedule of practical, useful pictures. The Division of Information Programs will supply a negative of each State group requesting same. These negatives will be mailed direct to State editors in an effort to speed up the process and give Conference pictures some real spot-news value. You will hear more about this through your editor. The pictures will be made Saturday, June 15, 12 noon to 6 p.m., with the Washington Monument in the background. Every State desiring a State picture should plan to have it made Saturday afternoon. More information on the photographic schedule will be available at Conference registration headquarters.

Press Service

Conference plans also call for the usual press service to States and to Washington correspondents for out-of-town newspapers. You may want to talk with your editor about alerting papers in your State to the Conference and notifying them about your delegates who will attend. Members of the Information staff here say they can help Washington correspondents of any newspapers cover your delegates' activities here. Also, newspapers in your State using the wire news services such as AP, UP, and INS, may ask for similar coverage.

Correspondents and news services will be supplied copies of the Conference program, Conference fact sheet, daily releases prepared during the Conference, and other information materials. In addition, when Conference opens, the Press Desk will help any newspaper or magazine writer gather desired information, or get in touch with 4-H delegates to arrange interviews or other appointments.

